the reactor the concluding portion states and in Berlin?

Hon. Edward Blake was cheered to the school on being introduced by the chairman. While regretting that he could not be present on a previous coasion when invited, he was gled that another opportunity had been afforded, and that he was able to second. He rejoiced that in the recent contest Waterloo had gone right. The victory achieved was as great as that won by Wallington on the plains of Waterloo. (Gheers). There were two old patriarobs he was glad to see here—Moses and Isaac. (Cheers and laughter). One of these he was glad to find had stuck to his constitution of the find had stuck to him, and they still had a Moses to guide them through the wilderness. (Cheers). He numerated the have class of questions boming under the jurisdiction of the Provincial Legislature, which, therefore, was a very important and useful body. The Government for eight years had performed all these duties well, but the Opposition took the ground that the National Policy was the subject to be considered in the late contest, and not the good work the Government had done. However, the result of the contest was an absolute condemnation of the National Policy and an expression of almost unbounded confidence in the Reform Administration. Referring to the charge of extravagance, he said they had managed it judiciously, expending the monies belonging to the charge of extravagance, he said the estate the Government had to manage was this fair province, and he contended that they had managed it judiciously, expending the monies belonging to the charge of extravagance in regard thereto, he took the ground that the present House was none too large. He felt that in a smaller assembly a few-persons could hamper very materially the work of the House and without difficulty overthrow the Government. He believed 100 members were none too many, yet saw no good ground for increasing the number at present House was none too large. He felt that in a timele was the number of extravagance in regard the

seem House more too large. He felt that in a smaller assembly a few persons could hamper very materially the work of the Housemannt. He believed 100 men between concetomary, yet saw no good ground for increasing the number at present in the Ontario House. He objected man, as there would be less check upon the acks of the Government, and deemed an annual session necessary for the voting of supplies. He thoughtiff the house and the house of supplies. He thoughtiff the house and the consentation on the other wards on a short one for the voting of supplies and special basiness, and the other, longer and for more of or microtry representation, he took the Wellingtons and Waterloos as an illustration. They stood four Liberals to one Conservatives and one Liberal, not one five the voting of the best of the complete changes went the other warfour Conservatives and one Liberal, not the which five. Approximately, the complete changes were the other warfour Conservatives and one Liberal, not the which really entitled the Reformers to the

bring out a larger vote, and, and the real feeling of the people. A great many improvements had been made, but there was room for more improvement. He thought we were steadily becoming more Canadian, and it was his desire to see the national feeling more universally cultivated.

Hon. Mr. Blake resumed his seat amid vooiferous applause. A lady occupying one of the seats near the platform presented Mr. Blake with a handsome bouquet, which was gracefully acknowledged.

Short addresses followed from Messrs. G. Fleming, M. P., North Brant, and Jas. Trow, M. P., South Perth, after which votes of thanks were tendered Hon. Messrs. Mowat and Blake and the chairman. Cheers followed for the Mowat Government, the Ottawa Opposition, respresented by Mr. Blake, and the Quebn, and the meeting broke up shortly after five o'clock.

LAME BACK. WEAK BACK.

A Card.

Daily Mercury

THURSDAY EV'G, JULY 8, 1879. The Dominion Telegraph Com-

Some years ago, the Dominion Tele-graph Company was organized in Can-ada, with the intention of affording the people a cheap and at the same time reliable means of telegraphic communiation. The depression of late years and the want of direct cable connection with Europe, doubtless tended to weaken the financial standing of the Company and bring it into considerable indebtedness. At a meeting of the shareholders, held the other day, a proposition was submitted to them, by which the American Union Company would take a lease of the line for ninety-nine years on certain conditions, the principal of which was a large cash payment. After some considerable discussion, the offer of the Union Company was accepted and the

lease ratified by the meeting. The terms of the contract are very favorable to the Canadian stockholders. The American Company leases the lines for ninety-nine yoars, commencing on the 1st July, 1879, and paying a rent of \$52,500, which rent is payable quarterly in advance. There was also unissued stock of the Dominion Company, amounting to \$289,000, which American Union has taken at the rate of 80 cents on the dollar. The cash has

counties expresses great indignation at the action of the Government in reinstating McMahon. Meetings of the different County Associations are, to be held to consider the question.

THE Sarnia Observer very truthfully remarks: One of the "economies" of the new scheme for carrying out the pro visions of the Weights and Measures Act, is to group the counties for inspec tion purposes and then get rid of several of the deputy inspectors. The saving effected in salaries will however be more than lost in the increased allowance for travelling expenses, so that the "economy" is of questionable character. So long as the main object of the movement is achieved—the dismissal of Reform appointees to make way for Tory nominees—there will be joy among the Government supporters.

PRINCE TEWFIK, the new Khedive, is a man of fair intelligence, and was educated by French and English professors. but has not enjoyed the advantages of foreign travel and residence. He is not a.m., from the Grand Trunk Passenger Station of a very pliant nature nor liberal mind, and will only yield to outside dictation only so far as may be necessary to keep his throne. The late Khedive's reign has been an expensive one, and latterly very burdensome to his subjects. The Suez canal cost him \$50,000,000. The Sweetwater canal cost him \$9,000,000; \$50,000,000 were spent on railroads, teleraphs, and lighthouses, and other local ements at Alexandria absorbed 0,000. In addition to these items

000,000 for a steam co-or brigating

The subjoined lines were recited by Rev. Duff, of Speedside, at the pionic one, Eramosa rifemen on Friday last hey have been sent to us with the reuest that they be published:—

Britain whose sons o'er every sea have roame All lands, their streams explored, and mountain Bounded by seas north, east, and south and we "This Canada of ours," we claim the best; The brightest jewel in Victoria's crown, Holding the palm in valor and renown.

Real sons of Britons in this western world, Not basely bought with silver or with gold, But men-true men-and soldiers in our ca Our noble country with hor righteous laws.

"A soldier, simply, has no will "says Havelock"
"Obedience, not thought, is his prerogative,"
But you are citizens, too, and on that reck
Stand to guard in government the pow'r you

Is purged by honest men in Confederation By making crimes in higher places heinous. Should foreign tyrant set foot upon our soil, Skilled in the arts of musketry and sabre, Forth at the trumpet's call you'll make recoil The foe who dares disturb our fruitful labor.

Or, should Imperial cunning seek to woo you From arts of peace and moral cultivation To Afghan's burning plains, or those of Zulu, Then, will you show your right of remenstratio But if our Empire e'er should be in danger On carriages of steam and wings of light you

Hurrah for our velunteer;
True man and brave,
With royal Canadian cheer
He hastens to save.

Hurrah for our volunteer, Nor given to roam, Full well contented here,— Quite happy at home.

Hurrah for our volunteer, Studious and wise, Well train'd at school, with head clear No fool in disguise.

Hurrah for our volunteer, Sure in his aim. Because wiry in nerve gear,]
And healthy in brain.

Hurrali for our volunteer,
Ready to fight,
Not for conquest or hauteur,
But Country and right.

Rurrah for our volunteer, On land or sea, The trusted when danger's near, Known never to flee.

Hurrah for our volunteer, Noble and brave, On "the red field" not a peer Let Canadians have.

Fergus Correspondence.

Thursday, June 26th, James McClelland, of township, near Arthur village, came to us, and was persuaded by John Gilmour the assistance of our noted horse trader, d. horp, to exchange his fine looking horse for diplug, feeble at the knees. John 2010 boots, and avided his control of the distriction of the cup of bohes. Here they met with two of the fatherland who had also been into partake of the cup that never insbriates, they been contented with this all would ended well, but one proposed, another ded, and it was unanimously carried with dissenting vote that lager amacked his control of the cup that the control of the cup that never insbriates, they been contented with this all would ended well, but one proposed, another ded, and it was unanimously carried with dissenting vote that lager amacked his covered when the control of the cup that the control of the cup that the control of the cup that never insbridge with the control of the cup that the cup that

After enjoying a delightful sleep he awoke be find the men all gone and his moneyalab. See hid the men all gone and his moneyalab. See hid information against James Reach, a warrant was placed in one said and see his a warrant was placed in one said and see his a warrant was placed in one said and see his mother and triend to be a said to be

Hespeler Correspondence.

nion Day passed off quietly, yet pleaser, the chief attraction being the fost under the auspices of the Hespeland. This was well patronized, and suts spent a very pleasant time, was followed by the help of the Atkinson House the help of the hel

LOCKE—In Guelph, on the 3rd inst., the wife of Mr. Frank Locke, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

ISTRONG—In Stratford, on the 2nd instant, James Armstrong, (late of Guelph) aged 74 years. years.
The funeral will take place on Friday, at 11 this intimation

VITAL MAGNETISM.

W. JAMES SARGENT,

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GOING SOUTH.

Trains will leave Guelph as follows: -6:20 a.m.
956 a.m., 2:25 p.m., and 4:30 p.m.
GOING NORTH.

11:30 a.m., and 6:10 p.m., for Southampton and
Kincardine; 8:10 p.m., for Fergus.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. GOING WEST. 9-47 s.m., 2:10 p. m., except on Monday; 5.52 p.m. 7-40 p. m.

GOING BAST Night Express 3:40a. m.; 9:10 a. m.; 11:00 a. 1:05 p.m.; 8:57 p.m. Time of Closing Mails. Going North—10:25 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 7:00 p m. Going South—8:35 a.m., 12:40 p.m., 4:00 p.m.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. Going West—9:20 a.m., 5:25 p.m. Going East—10:36 a.m., 3:30 p.m The English mail closes at the Guelph pos fines on Fridav at 10:40 a.m.

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